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COAL CAR SHORTAGE

Has Become Alarming in Western Kentucky.
Operators Hold Meeting With Traffic Managers of the I. C. Without Apparent Result.

In view of the shortage of cars in the Western Kentucky coal fields and a suspicion that it may not all be due to an actual shortage of cars, a meeting has been held between representatives of the Western Kentucky coal operators and F. H. Harwood, traffic manager of the Illinois Central.

Coal operators say that there is plenty of coal ready to be moved, but that it is impossible to get cars to handle it. The operators are afraid to ask help from the commission, because of the possibility that it might be held against them by the railroads hereafter. They are at the mercy of the railroads and they know it. Some of them say that there are plenty of cars, but that all are being sent to the Southern Illinois fields. It is believed that if conditions are not relieved, trains hauling coal for the railroads will be raided and unloaded in a number of towns.

Indications are that the railroad commission will take a hand. Chairman C. C. McChord and commissioner McD. Ferguson have been mysteriously moving around for some days past, and it is believed that they have been gathering information against the railroads. Chairman McChord has refused to make a statement, but it is known that he has recently been in communication with a member of the inter-state commerce commission relative to the matter. It is pointed out by operators that plenty of cars were furnished in the East Tennessee coal fields after complaint had been made and the commission in that state had begun its sittings.

Later developments are to the effect that the Inter-state Commerce Commission will settle the car shortage. Mr. C. C. McChord, the Kentucky Railroad Commissioner, has been notified by Chairman Harlan of the Commerce Commission, to appear to-day before that body at Chicago and bring witnesses to furnish information regarding the situation in Western Kentucky. It will be several days before it is known what action that body will take.

Church Notice.

The Hartford Baptist church will give a Christmas entertainment by the Sunday school at the church Monday evening, December 24, at 6:30 o'clock. A pleasing program has been prepared and there will be gifts for the little folks and seats reserved for them. All are cordially invited to attend, especially the Sunday school and members of the church. There will be a barrel in the vestibule, and each person coming is requested to bring something that can be used by the children at the Baptist Orphans Home, in Louisville, Ky.

Its up to The Council.

Jailer Oscar Midkiff should receive vote of thanks for the excellent manner in which he has cleaned up the pavement around the public square. Now if the city council will put forth an effort to have the leak in the hydrant at the north corner of the square stopped or the hydrant removed and furnish stepping stones for the Center streets crossing from public square they will come in for their share of the cake, otherwise Midkiff will be entitled to the whole loaf. What say you gentlemen? It's up to you.

Charged With Selling Mortgaged Property.

A warrant has been issued for M. Hoover, charging him with the offense of selling property encumbered with a mortgage lien. The warrant was issued on the affidavit of Delmer Austin. The facts in the case are about as follows: Hoover

purchased a horse from attorney Ernest Woodward and gave a mortgage on same to secure payment. A few days after this transaction Hoover sold the horse to Delmer Austin for cash. The statute covering the case provides that if anyone shall sell, conceal or dispose of any personal property, on which there is, at the time, a mortgage of record, with intent to prevent the enforcement of the lien thereon, he shall be fined not less than \$10 nor more than \$1,000 or imprisoned not less than fifteen nor more than ninety days.

CARBOLIC ACID

Causes Death of Two-Year-Old Child of Walter Blair of Buford.

The two-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blair, who live in Buford neighborhood, died from the effects of carbolic acid poisoning at the home of S. W. Howard, Owensboro, Monday.

The little fellow was in the kitchen where he found a small bottle of the acid from which some of the contents had been used. While the child was drinking the poison he was discovered by Seldon Yeager, who was delivering goods at the house. He called to the boy. By this time the acid had begun to burn and the child started to scream. Several women in the house rushed in and made every attempt to save him. Dr. Fireline was called, but nothing could be done to save his life, and death resulted at noon two hours after drinking the poison.

National Guards to go to Jamestown.

Brigadier General Roger Williams has been officially notified that the Kentucky State Guard will go to the national encampment at Jamestown, Va., next year. The troops will mobilize in Lexington.

This announcement will be of much interest to the Ohio county boys who make up the local company of National Guards. No announcement of the plans have yet been given out, but it is quite certain that the soldier-boys will have an opportunity to stay long enough to see the big Jamestown show to their satisfaction.

H. B. I. Notes.

On the account of the rapid growth of the school the Hartford Business Institute will move to apartments down town. The work continues interesting and the advanced students are working with renewed energy as they are nearing the time when they can answer some of the calls that come to us, while the new students are proving by their untiring labor that they can be depended upon to take the places of those who are called away to take positions. We have no sluggards.

Had another call from Owensboro last week for a young lady book-keeper and stenographer combined.

Miss Florene Jones left for Drakesboro last Saturday and will remain with her parents until the Holidays are over. Miss Kathryn Jones will spend the Holidays with her parents at Rochester. Miss Ruth Riley will visit friends at Sturgis next week.

Quite a number of the teachers of the county are expected at the opening of the school after the Holidays. School will open again December 31.

John Heavrin Dead.

John Heavrin, aged thirty-five years, died last Saturday morning at the home of his brother, Dr. C. M. Heavrin, Owensboro, after an illness of three days. The deceased had been ill for several weeks, but not seriously. His death was caused from a stroke of paralysis.

The following brothers and sisters survive him: Drs. C. M. and O. B. Heavrin, of Owensboro; Drs. Sam and Charles Heavrin, Louisville; Messrs. Roy and M. L. Heavrin, of Hartford; Mrs. Jessie Hays and Mrs. George Raley, of Louisville.

STRUCK HARD

Are the Whiskey Rectifiers by Pure Food Commission's Decision.

Important and far-reaching, effecting the business of distilleries, rectifiers, blenders and retail dealers of spirituous liquors as well as the manufacturers of food products throughout the entire Union, will be the effect of the recommendations practically agreed upon by the United States Food Commission, which concluded its session in Lexington last Saturday.

While no official announcement was made by the commission as to its finding on spirituous liquors, the investigation of which was the main object of the commission's visit to Kentucky, and which is of the utmost importance in view of the whiskey industry, it was learned from a member of the commission that four classifications are favored. These will be designated as "Whisky," "Blended Whisky," "Compound Whisky" and "Imitation Whisky." Manufacturers and dealers will be required to label all original packages accordingly.

According to the idea of the commission pure whisky, which has no foreign ingredients will be called "Whisky." If two brands of pure whisky are mixed, this mixture will be known as "Blended Whisky." More than two brands of pure whisky will be designated as "Compound Whisky." Whisky containing neutral spirits of any kind will be labeled "Imitation Whisky."

It is claimed by those conversant with the liquor industry that the recommendation of the commission is a severe blow to the rectifying business, as when the consumer becomes acquainted with the labels there will be practically no demand for the rectified or adulterated product.

Kentucky's New Poet.

The production of readable and instructive poetry is a rare gift and one that should be encouraged. We therefore take pleasure in calling attention of our readers to a neat little volume of original verse recently published by Wm. Yancey Erwin, of Hopkinsville, Ky., as a book of a high order of excellence and one that will repay the reader many times for the time spent in its perusal. It is written in almost every style of verse known to literature, and treats of a great variety of subjects, among which may be mentioned: Tone, Sentiment, Romance, Tragedy, Wit, Humor, Satire and Pathos. The book is very concise, not crowded with dry detail, as too many of our poets seem to think necessary, but Dr. Erwin drops immediately into his subject, which he handles with the stroke of a master pen.

Dr. Erwin and wife are spending a few days in our city at the residence of Mr. T. H. Bean, where the book may be obtained.

The President and Japan.

The President has taken the correct stand on the Japanese-California problem. The State is fully respected in its rights, but no State is above the National Constitution. The treaty-making power is, by the Constitution, vested in the President with the Senate. It takes a two-thirds vote to ratify a treaty entered into by the President.

In a Senate of ninety members it takes the votes of sixty to ratify a treaty. A Senatorial vote of such proportions may be fairly taken to represent a decisive majority of the thinking power of the nation. Our treaty with Japan, which guarantees to Japanese residents everywhere in the Union full and perfect protection for their persons and property, duly ratified by the Senate, became upon that ratification part of the supreme law of the land. It cannot be set aside at the call of local prejudice or the demand of sectional interest.

The President insists on the observance of treaty obligations with Japan, even if certain home-made

constructions of municipal law are invoked against such observance.

The President takes the ground that the local authorities of San Francisco have no right to deny Japanese children the right to attend the public schools. He further insists that the Japanese on the coast must be protected as to life and property, and finally lays down the principle that the entire power of the Federal Government within the limits of the Constitution would be used promptly and vigorously to enforce the observance of our treaty. The President's contention is irrefragable. The Republican party stands for an Americanism that will keep America for Americans, but not for a counterfeit that will permit savagery to exploit its cruelties under the American name.

CURSE OF MORMONISM

Declares Wife of Senator Dubois is Worse Than Was Slavery.

"Mormonism is a greater curse to the country than was slavery," declared Mrs. Fred T. Dubois, wife of the Idaho Senator in an address at Waugh M. E. church in Washington on "The effect of Mormonism on Education," last Tuesday. She said that should President Roosevelt make a trip through Southeastern Idaho he would no longer be willing to declare that there is nothing in the Mormon question. Six United States Senators, she said owe their election to the influence of the Mormon church. She criticised the attitude of Senator Proctor, of Vermont, and Senator Hopkins, of Illinois, for their attitude in the Smoot case. In closing her address Mrs. Dubois said: "Mormon children in Utah and Idaho spit upon the American flag."

SMALLHOUS.

Dec. 20.—Miss Oma Maddox and Lewis Fulker were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hill last Saturday and Sunday.

W. T. Lawrence and S. E. Hunter were the guests of Rev. G. H. Lawrence and family, Beaver Dam, Saturday night.

Miss Florence Hooge and J. R. Hunter went to Hartford last Saturday.

Owen Hunter went to Hartford Saturday and returned Sunday.

Messrs. L. B. Overhults and Edd Hunter went to Rockport Saturday morning.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Mercer was buried at Equality cemetery last Saturday.

Miss Debbie Taylor, Hartford, is the guest of relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Alva Calloway went to Paradise Tuesday.

Miss Fredrica Bir, who was badly burned recently, is able to be out again.

Miss Oma Maddox went to Rockport Wednesday.

Orlando Cox was the guest of his father, near Pinchico, recently.

Bob Eudale has rented a house from Sam Morton, known as the Marion Kimbley house and will move to it in the near future.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ball last Friday, a boy, and died Tuesday, December 18, and was buried at Equality the following day.

Mrs. Stanley Walton, of Raleigh, N. C., who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Miller Hallows for several days, has returned to her home, accompanied by Mrs. Hallows, Miss Fredrica Birr, and Miss Francis Hallows, who will be absent about six weeks visiting their old home.

Mrs. Lula Withers has moved to the John Drake house.

Mr. Allen Buskill and family have moved to the Claude Brown house.

Mr. John Withers and family have moved to the house formerly occupied by Allen Buskill.

Moss and Tompson. Plasterers and contractors, satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 29 or Beaver Dam Planing Mill.

JUDGE BREATHITT

May Consent to Run for Governor if Assured That Price Will Not be Too High.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Dec. 18—Judge James Breathitt, who is being so freely mentioned all over the State as a probable candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor, maintains utter silence as to his intentions along this line. Early in the spring Judge Breathitt was prominently in the public eye as a probable candidate, and at that time publicly stated that he would not make a race. Since that time, however, his friends and Republicans generally, have become so insistent that it is an admitted fact that he has at least again taken the matter under advisement.

In fact, it is generally believed that Judge Breathitt will consent to make the race provided he can do so without his making an excessive campaign contribution. He now holds the position of county judge of this county, and aside from the income derived therefrom he enjoys one of the largest and most remunerative law practices in the State.

Should he become a candidate there is no doubt but that he would prove a most formidable opponent. On the stump he would be almost invincible, for the state hasn't a better or more eloquent orator than he is, or one more capable of holding his own under any and all circumstances.

College Notes.

Hartford College is now in a prosperous condition and every room is occupied by a regular teacher.

A large number of new students will enter at the beginning of the third term, January 14, 1906. The Business department will be moved to quarters down town in order to make room for another regular teacher who will be added to the Collegiate department. Then there will be three regular teachers in this department.

Miss Winona Stevens and Messrs. Cecil Stevens and McDowell A. Folger, of Georgetown, were welcome visitors Monday morning.

A reception will be given to patrons and students of the Collegiate Department the first of next term.

The open session of the Adelphians given last Friday evening to the H. B. I. and the Collegiate pupils, was a decided success and seemed to be thoroughly enjoyed by all present. Many new members will be enrolled next term.

Attendance has been especially good this month. Most of the boarding students will spend Christmas holidays at their homes. At present there are over forty non-resident students enrolled.

The Board of Education has made an appropriation to get additional desks, apparatus and equipments for the better teachings of various branches in the course of study.

Prof. Gray started on a business trip through the South last Tuesday afternoon, and in his absence Mr. Crowe has taken his work in a most pleasing and satisfactory manner. Mrs. Gray will leave Thursday evening for a short trip also.

In all the departments below the Collegiate department, special Christmas exercises were held Thursday afternoon.

RENDR.

Dec. 18.—Mr. Edward Barrass, of Bevier, visited here last week.

Messrs. M. F. Moore and J. H. Brown, of Central City, were here Thursday.

W. H. Minor, Central City, was here on business Thursday.

Mrs. L. Francis is on the sick list.

Mrs. J. L. Neighbors returned to her home in Powderly Sunday, after a two weeks visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Francis.

Messrs. Wm. Hall and Wm. Lafoon left Saturday night for Sandusky, Illinois.

Mr. Robert Francis and family will leave Thursday for Linton, Indiana, to make their future home. A boy arrived at Sam James' Jr.

on November 28, to make his future home. Sam is all smiles and says he is a genuine Republican.

Miss Madye Engleby and Mr. Charles Cargal, of this place, were married December 10 at Marion, Illinois. Miss Engleby was one of Ohio county's most charming and cultured young ladies, while Mr. Cargal is one of our most prosperous and popular young business men. We join their many friends in wishing them much joy and happiness in their new walk in life.

FOR THE BUSY READER.

The President has received many complaints and suggestions about the car shortage situation, and among the later is one that the Government take over the railroads and operate them until conditions are relieved.

Harry Thaw is to be tried for the murder of Stanford White January 21 next. Justice Newberger set the time for the trial, after counsel for Thaw and District Attorney Jerome reached an agreement. Thaw is delighted with the news of an early trial.

The Court of Appeal held, in a decision by a divided court, that the revenue act of 1906, so far as it applies to national banks, is not effective this year, the banks cannot be required to pay taxes on Government bonds held at this time. The decision affects every national bank in Kentucky.

On recommendation of the general staff the secretary of war has ordered a trial by court martial of Major Charles W. Penrose and Captain Edgar A. Macklin, of Company C, first battalion of the Twenty-fifth infantry under the sixty-second article of war for "conduct against good order and discipline," failing in their duty in preventing and suppressing the riot at Brownsville, Texas, last August.

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Flexible Back Bibles, without index, \$1, 1.25, 1.50. With index, \$1.50 2.00, 2.50.

Family Bibles, \$2.00, 2.50, 3.50, 4.00.

Christmas Suggestion for the Men.

Military Sets in latest style materials. Some beauties for \$2, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00, 5.00.

Cuff and Collar Boxes. At each, \$1, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00.

Hat and Cloth Brush Set. At each, \$1.50, 2.50 and 3.00.

Cambric and Linen Handkerchiefs. At each, 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c and 50c.

Silk Handkerchiefs. Initial and Plain. At each, 50c.

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Cuff Buttons, Watch Charms, Watch Fobs, Watch Chains, Scarf Pins, Gloves, Shirts and many more you can see by visiting this store.

Rare Gifts for The Ladies.

Comb, Brush and Mirror Sets, at each, \$1.00, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00 and 6.00.

Manicure Sets, \$1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 4.00.

Hand and Mantle Mirrors, 25c, 50c, \$1, 1.50, 2.00, 3.00.

Decorated Lamps, \$1, 1.50, 2.00, 3.00, 3.50, 4.50, 5.00, 8.00, 8.50

Bisque Figures and Vases, at each 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.50.

Rockers, Rugs, Salads, Comports, Clocks, Pictures. This whole paper wouldn't hold it all.

Millinery.

Our sales in this department have gone beyond our most sanguin expectations. But we have made considerable preparation for the Christmas trade and have put clean out prices on every Hat in the house. This means the last and final deep cut in this department. Now is your opportunity to get a pretty, up-to-date Hat at your own price.

Christmas Good Things to Eat

can be had from our Grocery section. We have made an unusual preparation in Nuts, Candies, Oranges, Bananas, Apples, Raisins as well as all sorts of canned Fruits and every day necessities. Give us your orders. Same will be filled to your entire satisfaction.

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We have more Toys, more Trinkets, More Novelties, more everything than ever before. You can't find such a display anywhere this side of a large city:

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Toy Go Carts,
Toy Trumpets,
Toy Velocipedes,
Toy Wagons,
Toy Buggies,
Toy Desks,
Toy Balls,
Toy Buckets,
Toy Washboards,
Toy Sad Irons.

Toy Hoes,

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Toy Rakes,

Toy Hammers,

Toy Hatchets,

And hundreds of other Toys that we haven't space to mention.

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Nice Oak Dresser, with French plate mirror, at each, \$9.00 and up to \$25.

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MERRY CHRISTMAS.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 21.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce S. A. ANDERSON, of West Hartford Precinct, candidate for Representative in the General Assembly from this, the 28th district, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce W. W. PARKER, of the Beda Precinct, a candidate for Representative in the General Assembly from this, the 26th district, subject to the action of the Republican party.

Examine the label on your paper, if it is not correct notify us.

Now, isn't Gov. Beckham's "lid" a daisy? It don't stay on in Louisville at all.

THE financial column says "money is easy. But the trouble is the man who has it is not."

IF Beckham was really sincere in his post-election promises, why don't he get busy with the "lid?"

MOTHERS should begin to darn baby's stockings so that Santa Claus' gifts will not slip through.

COUNT BONI still insists that he is a gentleman. Of course in France every one is entitled to his own opinion.

THE time has again come around for the application of the rule that it is more blessed to give than receive.

AN Indiana woman offers to pay \$5.00 for a husband. In some parts of the country she could get two for that amount.

If a plan could be devised to pay Congressmen for the time they worked, some of them would be in debt to the government at the end of their terms.

"For fifty years I had nothing but flattery and praise" says Senator Depew. Mighty lucky Senator. Only a limited few succeed in fooling 'em that long.

THE first cent made by the United States mint has been sold as a curio for \$92. It is one of the few rare ones, that is not in possession of the Rockefellers or Morgans.

WHEN Count Boni arose to speak in the Chambers of Deputies about half of the members walked out. They certainly were afraid that he wanted to tell his troubles.

THE two-pound lemon exhibited at the Florida State Fair is just about the size of the one Bellamy Storer has received with compliments of the White House.

RICHARD PEARSON HOBSON says that Japan could capture the Philippines in one day. However Japan pretends to be too busy to take a day off to attend to the matter.

THE President has abandoned his proposed simplified spelling scheme. The house of Representatives voted its disapproval and the President said all right. While it would have saved thousands of dollars to the Government by lessening the public printing bill the President has indicated that he is willing to spell though t-h-o-u-g-h instead of t-h-o if the peoples' representatives desire it that way.

"I WOULD like to see a man of gubernatorial size nominated for every State office, so that we could say that every candidate is big enough to be Governor." Said Don C. Edwards Congressman elect from the Eleventh Kentucky District in a recent interview. That's certainly the spirit in which the Republicans should go about the business of nominating a State ticket, not only nominate a candidate for Governor of gubernatorial size but large ones for the rest of the ticket and we are sure to win.

A LEADING attorney in Louisville says: "Kentucky has a statute, which, if invoked, can speedily end the car famine. If the Attorney General, in the name of the Commonwealth, will file a petition in the Franklin Circuit Court against any and all railroads to forfeit their charter, because of their failure to furnish cars to the coal operators in the mining districts, the car famine will forthwith cease." If this be a correct view, Attorney General

Hays can, by one stroke, end what is denominated the greatest car famine.

ARTHUR WARREN, who it is said, is quite unfriendly to President Roosevelt, lays aside the mantle of enmity and sums up his worth as a man and Chief Executive of a great country, as follows: "The gods are good to the President. They turn all things and all people to his favor. They even calm the hysteria of the imperfect and lure the sagacious on with blue-eyed smiles. He has the happy art, this chieftain (or is it a gift?) of divining the people's will, even before the country is quite sure of its own conclusions. There is a psychic something about him which enables him to know the workings of the great popular mind before the aspirations seething in it have found tongue. He alone walks in the sun and leaves the politicians groping in the gloom of yester night. He is close to the great heart."

ELSEWHERE in these columns we publish a list of donations designed for a Kentucky exhibit at the Jamestown Exposition, contributed by school children of Ohio county. The sums from most of the districts are small, but it illustrates the pride and inordinate self esteem, even of Kentucky children. It represents the true American spirit which filled the breasts of our forefathers, who wrought the independence and made possible this great free nation. But, why is it necessary for the State Superintendent of public Schools of a great State like Kentucky to appeal to the school children for the purpose of obtaining funds to provide for a State exhibit at a great commercial show, such as will be the Jamestown exhibition? The Legislature of the State failed and refused to make any appropriation for the purpose, as is the usual custom. Its members did the bidding of their chief and appropriated the \$40,000 asked for that purpose and \$10,000 more as annual salaries for needless new offices, created at his command and filled by his appointment from his array of henchmen. This, in brief, tells the story of why school children are furnishing the funds for a Kentucky exhibit at the great Jamestown exposition.

THAT the raid and destruction of trust tobacco factories at Princeton recently was the direct result of incendiary speeches made by professional politicians, there is but little doubt. It has become the common custom of the average office-seeker, who for the lack of personality or the champion of any principal that appeals to the voter, to contend that the trust magnates are infamous scoundrels, who ought to be wearing prison stripes, and many of the most destitute of campaign thunder say they should be hung. The prejudice of the people is appealed to and their baser passions aroused to the highest degree of desperation, so that only a leader is needed for them to give way to lawlessness and to the commission of lawless deeds. It is too often the case that the politician indulges in unfounded charges against corporate capital for the sole purpose of catching the people who do not study such matters themselves. The demagogue sometimes rides into office on the aroused feeling of the people against the trusts and after reaching the goal worships at the shrine of the trusts he has basely abused. Thus is the career of the "peanut" politician and the sooner the country is done with him the better. The trust, in the practical acceptance of the term, is a curse, but no less so than the unscrupulous demagogue. The one takes from the people by the mighty hand of oppression, the other by deceit and intrigue. We are unqualifiedly in favor of putting such oppressive combinations as the tobacco trust, the beef trust and the oil trust out of business in a legitimate way, such as the A. S. of E. propose. So, also, are we in favor of forever retiring the professional demagogue politician.

By virtue of taxes due me as Sheriff of Ohio county, Ky. I will on Monday, January 7, 1907, expose to public sale at the Court House door in Hartford, Ky., the following lands or so much thereof as may be necessary to produce the sums required viz:

ROCKPORT.

Dec. 18.—The public school under the management of Prof. E. A. Smith and Miss Sudie Maddox is progressing very successfully.

Miss Blanche Muir, of Central City, who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Maude Cairns, returned to her home yesterday.

Miss Janie Render, of the West Providence neighborhood, is here studying telephony.

Mr. D. F. Gibbs and family, and Mrs. Gibbs' mother, Mrs. E. L. Jackson, have left Rockport to make their home in Evansville, where Mr. Gibbs has a position and possibly an interest with Ragon Brothers, the wholesale grocers. Mr. Gibbs is a near relative of the Ragons; and the father of the original Ragon brothers once lived in Ohio county. Mr. Gibbs has been a successful business man in Rockport for a number of years and has served as postmaster most of the time. They will all be much missed by their many friends. It is not yet known who will occupy their house.

The ladies of the "As you like it" Club entertained at Herrel's Hall last Wednesday evening. At ten o'clock a nice lunch was served. The occasion was highly enjoyed by everyone present.

Rev. Dr. Crawford, of the Presbyterian Theological Seminary, of Louisville, preached at the Presbyterian church here, Sunday and Sunday night for the pastor, Rev. E. V. Tadlock, a student of the Seminary. Dr. Crawford is very popular here.

New Gent's Furnishing House.

Mr. F. D. Baughn will open a first-class Gent's Furnishing House in the brick building, formerly occupied by THE REPUBLICAN, on Center street, January 1, 1907. He is now purchasing the most complete and up-to-date stock ever brought to Hart-

ford.

He will also carry a nice line of

undertaker's goods. His motto will be "Fair dealing, live and let live."

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Notice.

To local unions of the A. S. of E. throughout the county: You are requested to select a committee of one to take the census of the grain for sale in your respective districts and send delegate to report same at a meeting of the grain growers' association to be held in Hartford on Monday, January 7, 1907.

DAVID MORELAND.

Hartford Business Institute.

Not the "oldest," just the best as our patrons will attest.

On December 31st the H. B. I. will open up its new quarters downtown and will continue without any break through the spring and summer.

New furniture will be added and everything done to make our business Institute the equal in every respect of old business colleges.

Students enter at any time and are properly classified. Any energetic young man or young woman, who will enroll at this institution will not only be well repaid, but be well satisfied with their experience. Students completing the work here and going out from this school give satisfaction. We have no trouble in securing positions.

Another teacher will be added to our teaching force after the Holidays.

Enroll now and secure a good practical business position.

NETTIE ROGERS.

Land Sale For Taxes.

By virtue of taxes due me as Sheriff of Ohio county, Ky. I will on Monday, January 7, 1907, expose to public sale at the Court House door in Hartford, Ky., the following lands or so much thereof as may be necessary to produce the sums required viz:

Taxpayers Name	Dist. No.	Acres	Total'.
Austin, M A	1	25	\$ 4 55
Howard, J A	1	20	4 87
Butler, A F guar.	10	100	6 30
Baize, Jno J	10	10	5 78
Daugherty, James	10	30	5 15
Campfield, G W Agt.			
Cynthia Campfield	7	1	4 03
Chapman, Mrs S A	23	100	4 03
Fuqua, Wm R	24	25	4 88
Graves Sallie T	24	160	8 78
Nelson, R L	24	100	6 53
Roach, Jeremiah	29	100	7 76
Spencer, John	29	10	4 55
Neighbors, Geo guar.			
for B Neighbors	4	70	5 30
Revfrow, Melvin	11	68	5 80
Daniel, B C	22	28	5 80
Diel, H G agt. R.			
W Ross	22	75	5 30
Wade, D E	23	70	9 80
White, Mrs Mary	32	10	4 61
Dowing, B M	9	3	5 14



The only excuse for buying anything but a Pure Grape Cream of Tartar Baking Powder is to save a few cents in price.

ROYAL costs you a few cents more per can than Alum or Phosphate of Lime powders, but it is worth far more than the difference to keep your biscuits, cakes and pastry free from the injurious effects of these cheapening substitutes.

Continued use of Alum means permanent injury to health. Avoid Alum Ailments—Say plainly ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Moxley, J J	9	3	5 19
Moorman, J T	14	45	5 77
Oller, J H	18	75	8 31
Wedding, C T	20		4 67
Crowe, J W	18	1	5 98
Midkiff, Estill	18	10	4 75

Town Lots

Williams, E T admr.	1	2	10 70
J S Williams	1	2	10 70
Coffman, A B agt.			
for Jess Shacklett	27	1	5 07
Goodall, Andrew	15	1	6 45
Himes, Luther	9	1	7 34
Howard, Hiram agt.			
for Tessa Brown	8	1	5 65
Magee, Mrs Dora	14	1	5 70
COLORED.			
Hunter, Mrs Nancy	15	1	3 44
Cooper, Wood	13	1	4 72
Lindley, Sylvester	15	1	5 06
Miles, Willie	20	1	5 31
Coppage, M E	19	1	5 64
McCarthey, Geo W	16	1	6 08
NON-RESIDENT.			
Brand, J W	25	1	4 68
Cecil, C S	79	1	5 93
Ellis, W T and J W	45	1	5 64
Fuqua, John S	65	1	6 91
Haynes, Parker	25	1	6 55
Humphrey, T W	31	1	4 05
Morris, V P	30	1	3 77
Stinnett, Joe L and V D	36	1	4 68
Shiverley, Thos and W L	30	1	7 34
Stevens, W P	112	1	15 55
Smith, Elizabeth	40	1	2 82
Smith, J D	8	1	2 16
Worley, Leander	65	1	4 85
Ward, David S	30	1	3 95
Yates, Matilda	66	1	5 31
Solinger, N	108	1	14 28
Cooper, Mrs Annie	1	1	4 68
Stevens, L W	1	1	2 43
R. B. MARTIN, S. O. C.			

Town Lots

Acres

Distance from Colon to Panama, air line, is forty-two miles.

Distance between two points by railway is forty seven miles.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 21.

Illinois Central Railroad—Time Table.

North Bound.
No. 122 due 6:35 a. m.
No. 122 due 12:30 p. m.
No. 102 due 2:45 p. m.

South Bound.
No. 121 due 11:31 a. m.
No. 101 due 2:48 p. m.
No. 131 due 8:55 p. m.

That Xmas holidays are now on you will want to take a hunt. Why not go to U. S. Carson's and buy a good gun for the occasion? He handles the Marlin, both rifles and shotguns, and other standard makes. All kinds of loaded shells.

Pretty Silverware at Fairs'.

Pretty line of Rugs for Xmas at Fairs'.

Buy your wife or daughter a Cloak at Fairs'.

Some bargains in Children's Cloaks at Fairs'.

Guns! Guns!! Guns!!! Where? At U. S. Carson's. 11-tf

Cranberries and Mince Meat at City Restaurant.

Fruits, Nuts, Candies, Etc., at City Restaurant.

For ladies' and children's Cloaks, see Carson & Co.

Rev. J. A. Bennett, Beda, called to see us Tuesday.

Those Oyster Stews at City Restaurant are simply fine.

We are paying 25 cents per dozen for Eggs at Carson & Co.

If you want Shoes that are up to the times, see Carson & Co.

Scholarship in Massey Business College for sale at this office.

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U. S. Carson has the most up-to-date fruits and candies in town.

Get your Meals and Lunches when in Hartford at City Restaurant.

Mr. E. C. Baird and son, Marvin, Beda, were pleasant callers Monday.

Oysters, Fish and Celery constantly on hand at City Restaurant.

See Sam Bach's Clothing for winter. They fit good, look good and wear good.

Overcoats at almost your own prices at Long & Co.'s Economy Store.

For Scholarship in the Bowling Green Business College apply at this office.

Nice Table Linens, Napkins and Towels, prices right at Long & Co.'s Economy Store.

I have every known facility to correctly examine and fit them with proper glasses. There are no unpleasant ordeals in my examination. I have my own special methods which enable me to give you the best eye examination possible.

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Don't buy a thing for Xmas until you see our line.

J. H. WILLIAMS.

Dr. R. L. Pirtle, of Owensboro, will visit his parents near town during the Holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Keown, Earlington, Ky., are the guests of relatives here.

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DON'TS FOR RECEIVING.

A Few Words on Manners In Christmas Time That May Aid You.

Don't receive ungraciously. Even if you don't like what you get, pretend to, so far as you can. This does not mean gushing.

Don't count your gifts aloud, and then boast of the number—nothing is more execrable.

Don't insist on showing your gifts to every chance caller for the next two weeks after Christmas. For intimate friends this is well enough, but don't keep it up too long, even friends' admiration has its limits.

Don't expect a present because you give one. This makes of Christmas a time for barter—an objection often with some truth, alas! raised against Christmas giving.

Don't apologize if you have received and not given; it is most unpleasant on both sides.

Don't be ungracious if you receive a gift from some one "beneath" you; it may have been given in all sincerity, not to propitiate or to curry favor. The receiving of unwelcome favors as one of the hardest things to endure, but we all have it to endure sometimes; at Christmas let it be done graciously.

Don't make fun of anything that is given you, no matter what it is; this is the "beyond which not" of bad taste.

Don't put off writing your notes of thanks too long, and don't make them too long when you do write them. If you have something definite and pleasant to say about the gift, say it with sincerity, but don't gush meaninglessly. It is most unpleasant to be gushed at about a present that the giver feels sure was not a success.

An Alarming Situation

Frequently results from neglect of clogged bowels and torpid liver, until constipation becomes chronic. This condition is unknown to those who use Dr. King's New Life Pills, the best and gentlest regulators of stomach and bowels. Guaranteed by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., Hartford, Ky., Price 50c.

A Wandering Lake.

A scientist at Washington gives the latest information concerning the "wandering" of Lake Nor in the Gobi desert, a phenomenon about which contradictory views have been entertained in the scientific world.

The scientist quoted states that the Tarim river, entering the lake from the west, brings down, during the period of high water late in the summer, a great quantity of silt, which has the effect of driving the lake, lying on the level floor of the desert, toward the south-east. But the summer wind, drifting the surface sand and darkening the heavens with dust, blows generally from the north-east, and, it too, tends to drive the lake before it. The combined effect of the urging by the wind and the river is to force the lake southward.

Yet, the scientist thinks the migration of the lake is not constant in direction, but shifts back and forth intermittently, according as the circumstances change.

The Yazoo Mississippi Valley.

Is the title of a new pamphlet now ready for distribution and published by the Illinois Central Railroad Company.

It describes in detail the resources and possibilities of the richest valley in the United States. For a free address the undersigned at Manchester, Iowa.

J. F. MERRY,
2223 General Immigration Agt.

Everitt Offers Reward.

Editors REPUBLICAN, Hartford, Ky.—I have read with much feeling of sorrow reports of the burning of tobacco warehouses and barns in Kentucky, and so confident am I that the methods and teachings of the American Society of Equity have not instigated thereto or in any way contributed to acts of lawlessness or violence, but on the contrary, those who accept its teachings and act upon them, must proceed not only according to law, but according to equity, that I will personally add \$200 to any fund that may be raised for the investigation of said acts of incendiarism, or will pay this independently of any fund, provided said investigation leads to prosecution and conviction. This sum is now subject to the order of the officers of the State of Kentucky.

charged with the enforcement of the laws as above.

J. A. EVERITT,

President of the American Society of Equity. Indianapolis, Dec. 10, 1906.

Back ache, cold hands and feet, rheumatism and kindred ailments caused by improper action of the kidneys yield readily to a short treatment of DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. They quickly drive the poisons from the system and thus afford relief. A week's treatment for 25c. Recommended by all drug-gists.

To be Strong.

The following rules, issued by the New York Board of Health, for the guidance of consumptives, might very well be followed as nearly as possible by all.

Never sleep or stay in a close room.

When indoors remain in the sunniest and best ventilated room—one if possible, which has no carpet.

Have at least one window open in your bedroom.

Have a room to yourself, when possible, and at any rate have your own bed.

Go to bed early and sleep at least eight hours.

Avoid draughts, dampness, dust and smoke.

Keep your feet warm and dry.

Don't wear a chest protector.

If you have to work, take every chance to rest you can.

Avoid eating when mentally or bodily tired, or when in a state of nervous excitement.

Eat plenty of good and wholesome food.

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Chas H. Fletcher

Tomatoes vs. Tobacco.

[Central City Republican.]

P. C. Bruce, a prominent farmer of the Bethel neighborhood, tells us that this year he sold off of one acre of ground \$71 worth of tomatoes.

Mr. Bruce says he can make more money by raising tomatoes at 25 cents per bushel than he can on tobacco at the present price. It only takes about two months to put out and cultivate the tomato crop, but the tobacco crop is on hand about ten months in the year.

We are told that the thirty-fourth parallel is the natural climate for tomatoes which makes Southern Kentucky and Tennessee an ideal spot for the cultivation of this vegetable.

That this climate is especially adapted for the cultivation of the tomato is proven from the orders that our local cannery receives from the North, East and West. It would pay our farmers if they would give their attention to the production of the tomato.

THE CASH BOY TALKS.

His Father's Idea of the Delights of Municipal Ownership.

"Say, boss," remarked our cash boy this morning, "my paw is red hot for minnesiekie ownership. I don't know what that is, but paw says everybody is going to own everything and divide up the profits. He was telling ma about it last night."

"Ma asked him where the people would get the money to buy those things, as they would cost millions of dollars."

"Paw said, 'Issue bonds.'

"Yes," said ma, "but how will you pay the bonds when they are due?"

"Issue more bonds," said paw.

"But how about the interest?" said ma.

"Won't you have to tax the people for that?"

"Why, no," said paw. "Pay the interest with bonds."

"I don't see how you could do that," said ma.

"You don't, eh?" replied paw. "Now, when we went to housekeeping, didn't I pay for all our furniture by giving a note, and when it came due didn't I give the man another note? You women know nothing about finance. You wait until the minnesiekie ownership gets in power, we will divide the profits among the people, and no one will have to work. We will all be Vanderbilts. Won't you be proud of your hubby when he becomes part owner of all public utilities? You see, madam, there are some things you don't know."

"And then paw looked wise. Ma stood and gazed at him for some time and then said:

"Yes, there are some things I don't know, and one of those things is this: If there is a man more fit for the lunatic asylum than you, I don't know him."

"Then I commenced to whistle 'Everybody Works but Daddy.' Say, boss, you see that lump on the back of my head? Paw had had that tune poked at him before, and I wasn't looking when his old shoe came flying my way!"—Yonkers Statesman.

LONG LIVE THE BOSS!

Municipal Ownership Would Make His Position Impregnable.

Referring to the recent announcement that 51,140 persons are on the payroll of New York city, the Newark Advertiser declares that in the event of municipal ownership of street railways, electric light and gas plants, ferries and other public utilities the city employees would constitute a political army that would make a change of administration impossible.

It recalls the fact that 25,000 city employees in Philadelphia kept Philadelphia in the hands of the corrupt Durham machine for years, and only a great popular uprising overthrew the grafters.

If Durham had had control of the street railroads and other public utilities in Philadelphia through municipal ownership, it observes, "he could have laughed at popular uprisings. He would have been as absolute in his authority as the czar."

The point is well taken.

In other cities the political situation under public ownership would be as it would in Philadelphia and New York.

Bosses may be overthrown whenever the public will it at present. Public ownership of all public utilities would end this. It would bind the people hand and foot and deliver them into the hands of political grafters.—Long Branch Record.

HOW CITIES LOSE MONEY.

Municipal Plants Pay No Taxes and Reduce Tax Receipts.

The subject of lost taxes is one that deserves far more attention than it usually receives from advocates of municipal ownership. There is scarcely a municipal plant in this country which mentions this item in its reports, although it is just as much an element in cost of production as coal and wages. The omission is readily overlooked, because it is a negative expense involving no direct payment, but only a loss of income to the city.

If you own a store for which you are receiving a good rental and dispossess your tenant in order to occupy it yourself the rental value of the store becomes a charge against your business, just as it was previously a charge against your tenant's business, and you are out of pocket unless your profits exceed the rent you formerly received. Similarly if a city buys out or otherwise dispossesses a public service corporation the real, personal and franchise taxes formerly paid by the corporation become a charge against the operation of the municipal plant that succeeds the corporation, and the city is out of pocket unless the profits of its plant exceed the taxes lost.

M. O. In Chicago as Dead as Caesar.

One of the most remarkable reversals of public opinion on record is that which has taken place in Chicago in the past year in the matter of municipal ownership and operation. The municipal ownership theory, which a little more than a year ago flourished here with so much vigor as to attract the attention of the entire civilized world, is now the deadest duck in the pond. Apparently nobody believes in it any longer. Certainly nobody ever talks any more about it.—Chicago Journal.

When Officials Are Efficient.

When the administration of the departments now in charge of our local public officials show better results in economy and efficiency, it will be time, and not until then, to consider an enlargement of their responsibilities.—Everett W. Burdett.

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The following is a list of birth stones and their significance: January, garnet, constancy; February, pearl, purity; March, hyacinth, fortitude and bravery; April, diamond, innocence; May, emerald, wedded happiness; June, catseye, health, wealth and long life; July, ruby, cure of love's wounds; August, moonstone, resistance to temptation; September, sapphire, steadiness of brain; October, opal, consolation; November, topaz, the power of winning friends; December, turquoise, success in life.

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TAKE THE REPUBLICAN.

KENTUCKY A. S. OF E.

Preparing for a Whirlwind Campaign During the Year 1907.

The Kentucky State Union of the American Society of Equity holds its annual convention at Frankfort on January 10, 1907. This will undoubtedly be the greatest meeting in the history of the union, in view of the fact that at the recent national convention of the society it was decided to do all in its power to perfect its organization in 1907. This means the outlining of a whirlwind campaign in Kentucky to completely organize the tobacco producing counties and to promote thorough organization for all crops in all parts of the State. Not only are all local unions asked to send delegates, but a cordial welcome is extended to all members and friends of the society.

The meeting will be continued till the work is completed.

The success already achieved by Kentucky growers of dark tobacco in acting in accordance with the plans of the society and the recent determination with which this has inspired the burley tobacco growers, should make this meeting abundantly provocative of good results.

The recent important affiliation of the farmers with organized labor will, of course, come in for its due share of attention.

Under the revised national constitution this will be the only state convention of the year and officers will be elected. Every county in state is urged to take the matter up at once and be ready to send a full delegation to this important meeting.

All organizers of the A. S. of E. in the state are expected to attend and every effort will be made to have this meeting an unalloyed success.

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The costliest of all eggs is the largest as well. It is the egg of the extinct aepyornis, and it is big enough to hold two gallons of water.

The epyornis is supposed to be the roc that is made famous in the narrative of Sinbad the Sailor. Sindbad, the reader of the "Arabian Night" will remember, tied himself to the leg of a roc and the bird flew down with him into a valley full of diamonds.

In Madagascar a number of aepyornis skeletons have been found. These prove the bird to have been over twenty feet in height. It had a long neck and long legs. It looked like an ostrich several times enlarged.

There are a half dozen aepyornis eggs in existence. They are worth \$200 to \$300 a piece. They are a foot in length, a yard in circumference and in capacity equal to 135 eggs of the modern hen.

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Our Law Makers.

[Sun-Sentinel]

The people of Kentucky without regard to party should be aroused to the importance of electing competent men to the next Legislature. The last Legislature was the worst ever.

The acts, as a whole, were intended to prepare a centralized government at Frankfort. The redistricting acts have been declared in every case to be unconstitutional. In every case where an attempt was made to amend the old laws, confusion has been the result.

The attempt to improve the manner of selecting jurors resulted in a law that is contradictory and ridiculous. Part of the law requires that the names of the jurors selected shall be kept secret, and another part says that the names shall be read out in open court one week in

advance of service. New and unnecessary offices were created and sailors increased.

Both parties should nominate and elect men who will have the interest of the State at heart rather than the interest of the party to which they belong. The type of men sent to the legislature was illustrated at West Liberty, Morgan county, last week. M. M. Redwine was a member of the Legislature and a Democratic leader. He voted for the dog tax law. Mr. Redwine is now a Circuit Judge because of party service rendered, and by the grace of Gov. Beckham.

Redwine, sitting as Judge, decided that the dog tax law is unconstitutional—the very law that he assisted in making.

Death From Lockjaw

Never follows an injury dressed with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Its antiseptic and healing properties prevent blood poisoning. Charles Oswald, merchant of Rensselaer, N. Y., writes: "It cured Seth Birch, of this place, of the ugliest sore on his neck I ever saw." Cures cuts, wounds, burns and sores. 25c at Z. Wayne & Bros. drug store.

Different There.

The creole would rather do without a few meals than miss a good opera with a fine cast; nor does this admirable spirit merely apply to the middle classes. Many a charming little creole lady who might point to a Marigny on her escutcheon would not hesitate, if hard pressed, to do her own house work in order to be able to blossom out at night in her proper place—radiant and exquisite—in a loge grille at the opera. It matters little in New Orleans to what unfortunate straits adversity may have driven a lady; though she may do typewriting for people whom she meets socially, there are enough noble-minded people of the ancient regime who will help her to forget the pinch of poverty and see that she receives the greatest consideration. This inbred chivalry is one of the most marked and endearing traits of the South an atmosphere free from our parasitical flunkies over mere money or its insignia.

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Dog's Wonderful Devotion.

The devotion of a Newfoundland dog was pathetic. His master had gone out in a boat, which had overturned and he had been drowned. A rescuing party arrived on the scene just too late and took the body to the other side of the lake, a mile away.

The dog arrived at the edge of the water just in time to see the body of his master lifted out. Plunging in, he swam across the lake. The poor animal licked the hands and face, and when he saw that his caresses were in vain, he seated himself at his master's feet and refused to move. He followed the hearse to the burying ground, seated himself disconsolately at the side of the grave until the services were over. Then every day he made a trip to the little cemetery and lay with his head between his paws beside the grave.

A few weeks went by and the dog began to pine. He refused to eat his food and his visits to the grave became more frequent. And then, one night, when the wind was howling, he started out alone. A few days later they found his body on the shore and buried him beside his master.

It is a mistake to use a violent cathartic to open the bowels. A gentle movement will accomplish the same results without causing distress or serious consequences later. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are recommended. Sold by all druggists.

Followed Instruction.

[Independent]

A traveling salesman died suddenly in Pittsburg, Pa., and some of his friends telegraphed the undertaker an order to make a large wreath. Investigation showed that the telegram ordering the wreath read as follows.

"Rest in peace," on both sides of the ribbon, if there should be room: "We shall meet in heaven."

The undertaker was out of town, and the new assistant handled the job. It was a starling floral piece, which turned up at the funeral. The ribbon was extra wide, and it bore the inscription:

"Rest in peace on both sides, and if there is room we shall meet in heaven."

APPLAUSED THE JUDGE

Did Princeton Crowd When He Released Alleged Night Rider.

Princeton, Ky., Dec. 13.—No political speaker that ever addressed a Caldwell county audience received such vigorous applause as did Judge Blalock to-day when William Winters was declared not guilty of the charge of having taken part in the mob which burned two tobacco factories in Princeton a short time ago. This demonstration was taken by many to mean that public sentiment was with the mob that burned the factories.

State Fire Marshal Mott Ayers and his attorney, Clem J. Whitmore, were here. Mr. Ayers refused to make any statement as to whether he would take the cases to the Federal courts or make further attempts to secure convictions in the State courts.

For chapped and cracked hands nothing is quite so good as an application of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Put it on before going to bed, use an old pair of gloves and see what a difference the morning will bring. Sold by all druggists.

Digests What You Eat

WEAK HEARTS

are caused by Indigestion. If you eat a little too much, or if you are subject to attacks of Indigestion, you have no doubt had shortness of breath, rapid heart beats, heartburn or palpitation of the heart. Indigestion causes the stomach to expand swell, and puff up against the heart. This crowds the heart and interferes with its action, and in the course of time the heart becomes diseased.

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For Dyspepsia

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County Court—W. B. Taylor, Judge; W. S. Tinsley, Clerk; E. M. Woodward, Attorney; John H. Miles, Rockport—March 31, June 30, September 29, December 29.

Quarterly Court—Begins on the third Monday in January, April, July and October.

Court of Claims—Convenes first Monday in January, Tuesday after second Monday in October.

Other Officers—N. Moxley, Surveyor, Shreve.

S. W. Leach, Assessor; Rob Roy, James DeWeese, School Superintendent, Hartford. Jerome Allen Coroner, Jno. J.

Justices' Courts.

N. Barras, Beaver Dam—March 24, June 28, September 24, December 24.

W. P. Miller Horse Branch—March 26, June 25, September 25 December 25.

W. S. Dunn, Dandy—March 27, June 26, September 26, December 26.

W. R. Edge, Fordville—March 28, June 28, September 27, December 28.

B. S. Chamberlain, Beda—March 29, June 29, September 28, December 29.

Herbert Bender, Centertown—March 30, June 29, September 29, December 30.

John H. Miles, Rockport—March 31, June 30, September 30, December 31.

Hartford Police Court.

R. R. Wedding, Judge; J. S. Glenn, City Attorney; Seth Moseley, Marshal. Court convenes second Monday in each month.

Religious Services.

M. E. Church, South—Services third Sunday

each month at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. and second Sunday at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening. Rev. J. A. Lewis, Pastor.

Baptist Church—Services held Saturday night before second Sunday; Sunday and Sunday night. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening. Rev. A. B. Gardner, pastor.

C. P. Church—Services first Sunday in each month at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Rev. J. D. Harwood, pastor.

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Secret Societies.

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Hartford Lodge, No. 675, F. & A. Masons, meets Monday night in each month.

A Proclamation By Santa Claus.



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My agents for the Holiday season of 1906, and hereby command every man, woman and child to go to the above store where all of you will find those presents you most desire. There are shown my choicest Dolls, my prettiest Books, my daintiest China and a host of other things direct from my factory in Toyland. I have charged FAIR & CO., that their fees for these beautiful gifts shall be reasonable; that there must be presents to suit the taste and purse of everyone, and they have promised me it shall be so. My gifts will be on display every day from now until Christmas Eve. **Don't forget the Place, FAIR & COMPANY.**

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All sorts—White Dolls, Black, Rag, Doll, boy and girl Clown, Eskimo, Japanese Dolls, in fact, the whole Doll race are here. All the old friends as well as the beauty Dolls of the day. Every taste and every purse is suited. Bring the little girls and let them look.



For Mother.

Handkerchiefs.....	5c to 75c
Lace Collars	15c to \$1.00
Fine Leather Purse.....	25c to \$4.00
Nice Silk Waist	\$2.00
Pretty Wool Skirts	\$2.00 to \$8
Nice Silk Gloves.....	50c to \$1
Beautiful Fascinators.....	50c
Nice Cashmere Hose	25c

For Sister.

Hand Bags.....	25c to \$2.50
Leather Pocket Books.....	50c to \$1.50
Solid Gold Rings.....	\$1 and up
Nice Golf Gloves.....	25c and 50c
Kid Gloves	\$1 to \$2
Nice Lace Hose.....	25c to 50c
Pretty Slippers.....	\$1.50 to \$3.50
Gold Bracelet.....	\$1.00
Back Combs	25c to \$1.00
Neck Ribbons	25c to 75c

For the Boy.

Nice Sleds.....	50c to \$1.00
Wheelbarrows.....	25c to 75c
Steam Engines	\$1 to \$1.50
Railway Trains.....	50c to \$1
Automobiles.....	\$2.00 to \$3.50
Iron Wagons.....	\$1 to \$1.50
Horse and Cart.....	50c
Magic Lanterns	\$1.00
Hobby Horses.....	\$1.25 to \$3.50

For Baby.

Nice Wool Hose.....	15c
Gold Ring	\$1.00
3 Piece Set.....	50c to \$1.50
Silver Cup	50c to \$1.50
Rag Doll.....	5c to 52c
Unbreakable Dolls	25c
Fur set.....	75c to \$1.25
Fancy Wool Mittens	5c to 25c

For Father.

Nice Shirts	50c to \$1
Night Shirts.....	\$1.00
Leather Card Case	25c to \$1.00
Cigar Cases.....	50c to \$1
Leather Pocket Books.....	25c to \$1
Shaving Sets.....	50c to \$1
House Slippers	\$1 to \$1.50
Nice Wool Sox	25c to 50c

For Brother.

Handkerchiefs	5c to 50c
Driving Gloves	25c to \$15.0
Golf Gloves	25c to 50c
Shaving Sets.....	50c to \$1.50
Suspenders	25c to \$1
Beautiful Silk Ties	25c to \$1
Cuff Buttons	25c to \$1.50
Watch Fobs	25c to \$2
Emblem Pins	\$1 to \$3
Elegant Mufflers	25c to \$1

For Girls.

Fancy Belts	50 to \$1
Necklaces	15c to \$1.25
Fancy Rings	\$1 to \$3.50
Nice Brooches	25c to \$1
Fancy Stick Pins	10c to \$1
Comb Sets	25c to \$2
Handkerchief Boxes	50c to \$1
Glove Boxes	25c to \$1
Leather Bags	25c to 75c

For the Old Folks.

Fine Silk Handkerchiefs	50c
Nice Overcoat	\$5, \$8 and \$10
Extra Quality Cloaks	\$5 to \$10
Nice Umbrellas	\$1.00
Fine Cashmere Hose or Sox	25c
Pur. Linen Handkerchiefs	25c
Beautiful Furs	75c to \$3
Nice Suspenders	25c
Black Wool Mittens	25c



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Nothing more serviceable or would be appreciated more by your wife or daughter than one of our handsome Cloaks for Christmas. We are going to offer some special values at \$5, \$8.00, \$10. Come, see them.

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Chains, Fobs, Sooons, Berry Spoons, Gravy Ladles, Olive Forks, Salad Spoons, Cold Meat Forks, Sugar Shells, Child's Sets.

Our Basement is always a place of attraction for economic buyers, but it will be a place of special interest during the Holiday season, for we have put forth an extra effort to secure some rare bargains in our **5c and 10c Department.**

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There is many a one to whom a pretty useless thing is giving who would be better pleased with something useful. For hints in this direction you can't spend time to better advantage than in the Dry Goods section of our store. There is nothing better for gifts, remember, than Fancy Hosiery, Sweaters, Handkerchiefs, Corsets, Belts, Laces, Ribbons, Curtains, Rugs, Napkins, Dollies, Table Cloths, Fascinators, Etc.